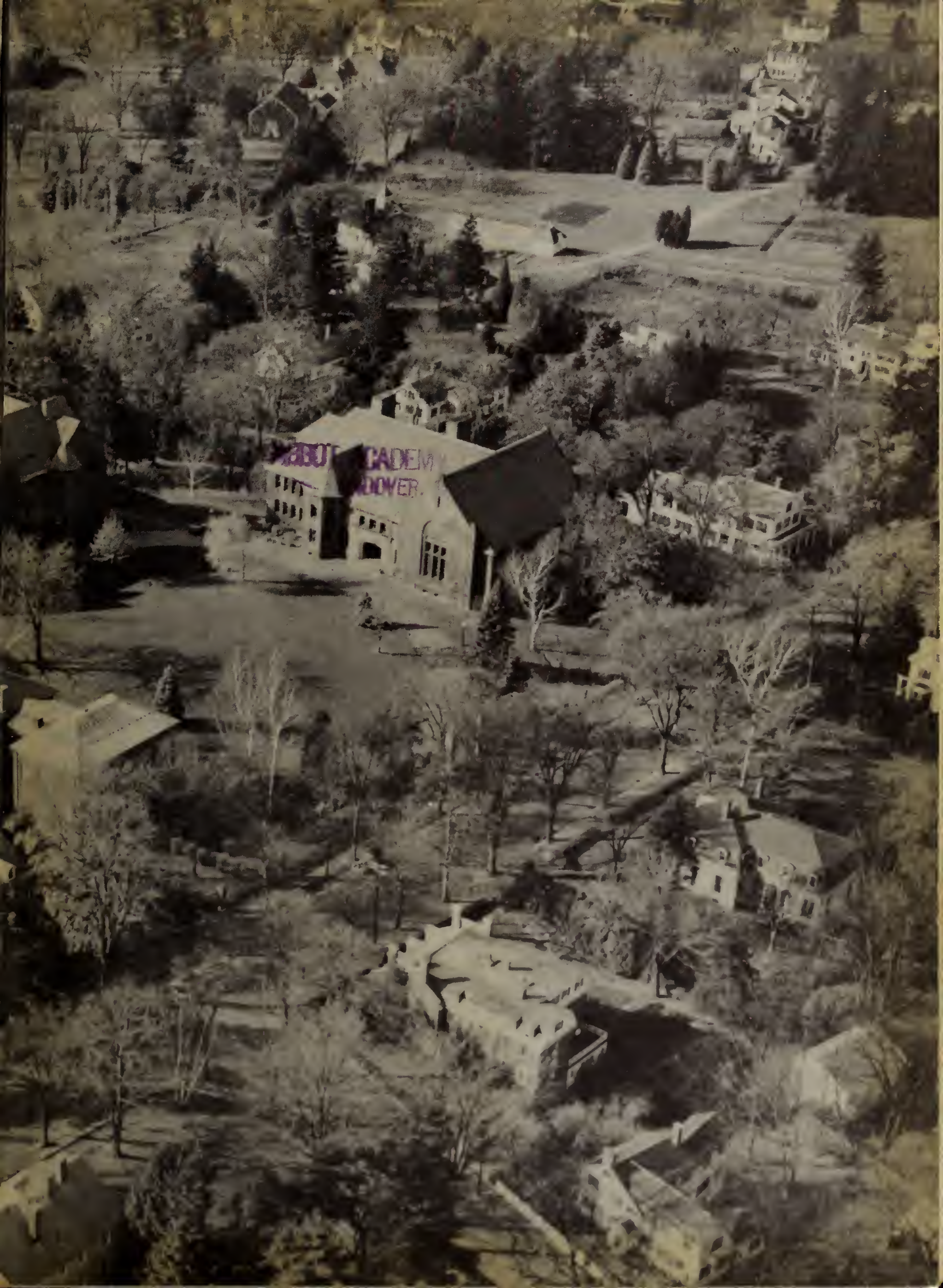
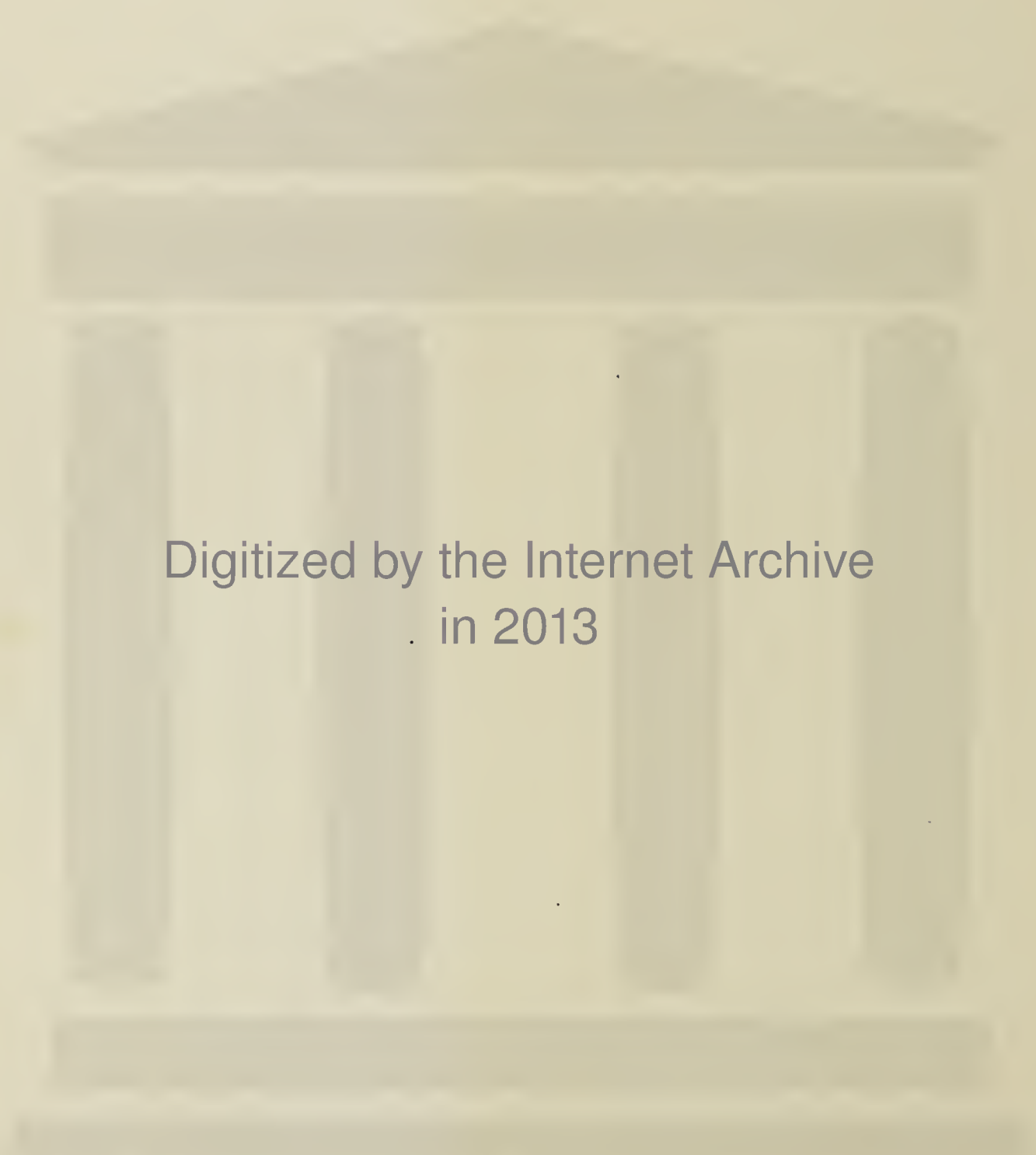










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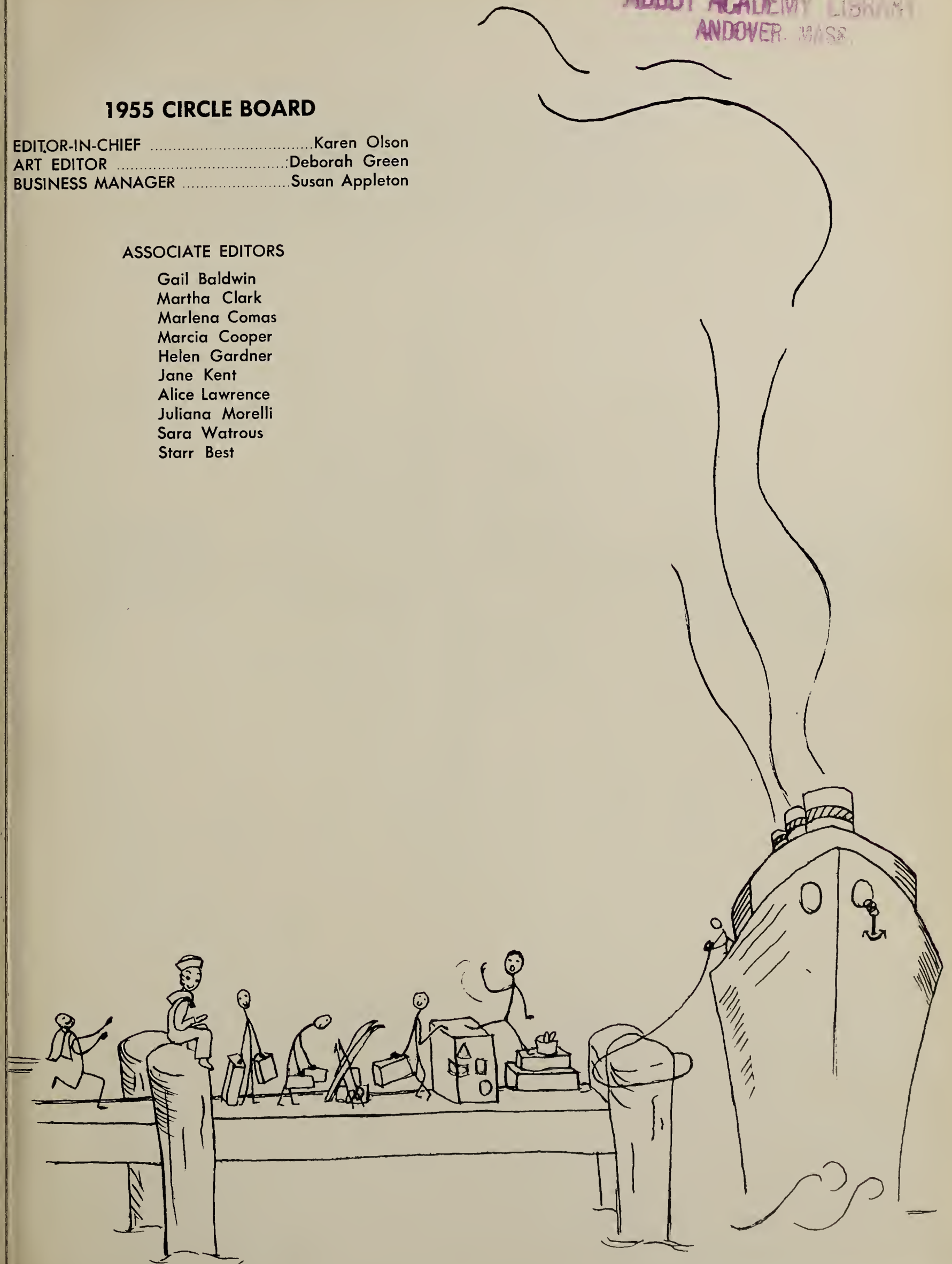
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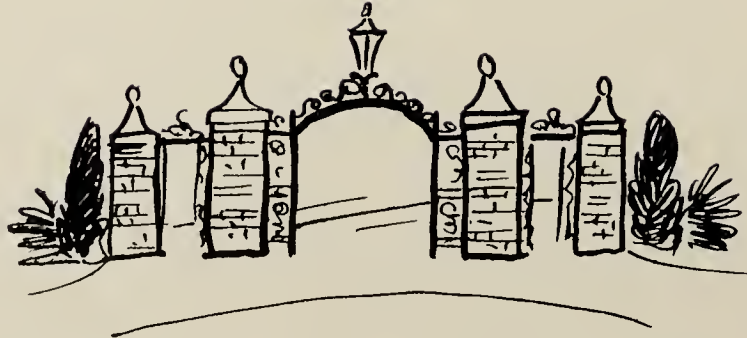
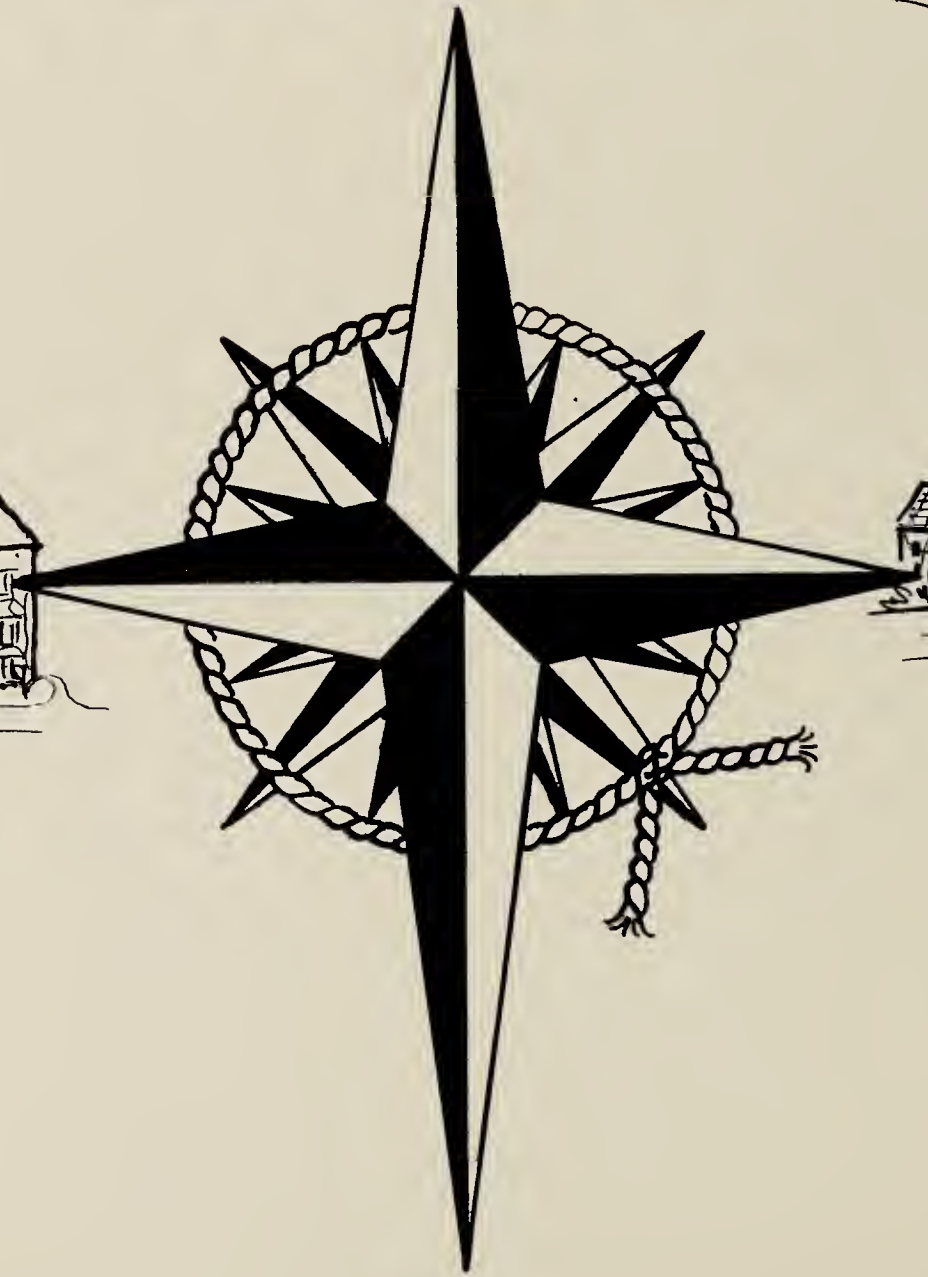
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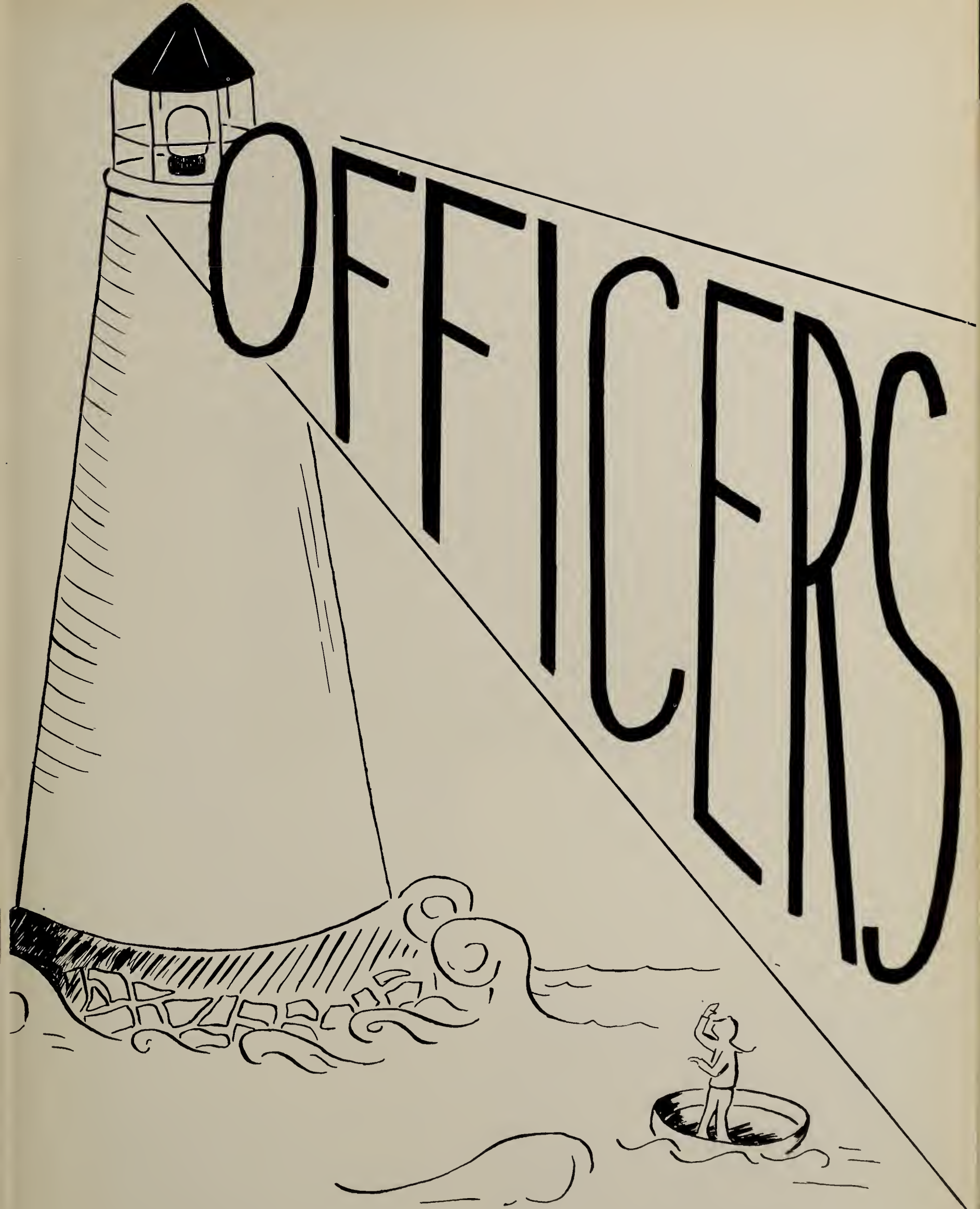
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MIDSHIPMEN

Father, I know that all my life
Is portioned out for me,
And the changes that are sure to come,
I do not fear to see:
But I ask Thee for a present mind,
Intent on pleasing Thee.





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CLASS SONG

Abbot Blue, we sing to you,
To your spirit and your loyal care.
Fifty-five, stay alive,
In the memories that we share.
Everything to you we bring,
With our love, we raise our banner blue.
Fifty-five will stay alive,
Oh Alma Mater, all our thanks to you.



HELEN ANGEVINE

95 Prince Street, West Newton, Massachusetts
 1954-1955 *Heidi*
It's fabulous! . . . Are you mad at me? . . . Always hack-
ing around . . . Oh, it's just a fib!
 Dance Club '54; Head of Minor Sports '54-'55; Rec-
 reation Room Committee '54-'55; Varsity Basketball
 '54.

SUSAN APPLETON

Woodland Road, R.F.D. #1, Andover, Massachusetts
 1952-1955 *Sue*
Utterly . . . All purpose black . . . Moulin Rouge . . .
Let's have a Charleston! . . . Dear Gussie . . . Maine
. . . Convertibles.
 Business Manager of Yearbook '54-'55; Lacrosse Play
 Day '54; Head of Lacrosse '54; Numerals '54; Junior
 Play '53; Posture Marker '53-'54; Varsity Tennis '54;
 Varsity Lacrosse '54; Day Students Skit '53; Day Stu-
 dent Dance Committee Chairman '54.



ELIZABETH CUMMINGS BALDWIN

Chappaqua, New York
 1953-1955 *Libby*
Stimulating . . . I've got to take lights! . . . That loose
lens!!!
 A. C. A. Representative '54-'55; Chapel Proctor '54-
 '55; Davis Hall Marshal '53-'54; Forum '53-'54; Hik-
 ing Leader '54; Senior Parlor Committee '54.

GAIL TOLLES BALDWIN

252 Oliver Road, New Haven, Connecticut
1951-1955 *Gail*
Boola! Boola! . . . He wears wooden shoes . . . It's hil-
arious!! . . . But, I did study . . . Très gai . . . Always
someone new.

A. C. A. Representative '51-'52; Bazaar Committee '54; Cheerleader '53-'55; Dance Club '51-'55; Davis Hall Marshal '53-'54; New Fidelio '53; Fidelio '53-'55; Numerals '54; Junior Play '53; Recreation Room Committee Chairman '54-'55; Gargoyle Songleader '54-'55; Yearbook Staff '54-'55.



ELIZABETH BEAL

54 South State Road, Briarcliff Manor, New York
1953-1955 *Bets*
Top Griffin . . . Susie!! . . . Dimples . . . Last minute
rush . . . Jib the boom, mate!

Hockey Play Day '54; A. A. A. '54-'55; Cheerleader '53-'55; Fidelio '54-'55; Forum '53; Posture Marker '53-'54; Sub Varsity Hockey '53; Varsity Hockey '54; Captain of the Griffin Team '54-'55.

LOUISE NESBIT BELL

5235 Westminister Place, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
1952-1955 *Weezie*
M. C. H. says . . . Greenwich Village Society of Ionosists
. . . Potassium + Water = Explosion . . . Those mud
puddles on the Hockey Field!

A. C. A. Representative '52-'53; Bazaar Committee '54; Corridor Proctor '52, '53; Treasurer of Junior Class '52; President of Junior Class '53; New Fidelio '53; Fidelio '53-'55; Forum '52-'55; Honor Roll '52-'54; Music Studio Committee '53-'54; Numerals '54; Junior Play '53; Commencement Play '54; Posture Marker '53-'54; President of Student Government '54-'55; Softball Varsity '54.





JANET STARR BEST

Dogwood Lane, Darien, Connecticut

1954-1955

Starr

Zut alors!! . . . Soft English accent . . . Doodles . . .

Foreign Flavor . . . Busy after lights.

Fidelio '54-'55; Music Studio Committee '54-'55;

Yearbook Staff '54-'55.

SUSAN DREW BLAKE

17 Strathmore Road, Wakefield, Massachusetts

1953-1955

Sue

Rollie!! . . . What a sketch! . . . Petticoats . . . That red room! . . . Deeeee-lightful!

Chapel Proctor '54-'55; Fidelio '54-'55; Forum '53-'54; Hiking Leader '54-'55; Senior Parlor Committee '54-'55.



MARY BARBARA BURROWES

100 Main Street, Keyport, New Jersey

1954-1955

Mariby

Yeha . . . Always smiling . . . Pep plus . . . I know it, but— . . . From now on, Heidi—.

Cheerleader '54-'55.



CAESAR

Summer address: Rome, Italy

1953-always

Caesar

Hail, Caesar, hail! . . . Gus' royal successor . . . Veni, vidi, vici.

Basketball 1, 2, 3 teams '54; Griffin Cheerleader '53-'55; Orange Blazer '55; "C" Society '54-'55.



JUDITH CARPENTER

49 Medway Street, Providence, Rhode Island

1954-1955

Judy

Jazz and a Talented Trumpet . . . Oh, dear! . . . Life in an Art Gallery.

Music Studio Committee '54-'55; Senior Play '54; W .U. S. Representative '54-'55.

PAMELA CARPENTER

Box 2035, Balboa, Canal Zone

1951-1955

Pam

How Horrid . . . That savior faire of the Panamanian boys! . . . I've got to finish my walks!

President of A. A. A. '54-'55; "A" Society '54; Hockey Play Day '53-'54; Bazaar Committee '54; Cheerleader '53-'55; President of Prep Class '51; Vice-President of Senior-Mid Class '53; Dance Club '54-'55; Davis Hall Marshal Chairman '53-'54; Fidelio '53-'55; Forum '52-'55; Honor Roll '54; Honorable Mention '53; Music Studio Committee '54-'55; Numerals '53; Prep Play '51; Junior Play '52; Commencement Play '54; Student Government '54-'55; Gym Fund Committee '54-'55.





BETH IMOGENE CHANDLER

1138 Fountain Drive S. W., Atlanta, Georgia
 1953-1955 Beth
Oodles and oodles . . . Kombluberated . . . O my soul! . . .
Atlanta Shag . . . Roooooo-mate!
 President of A. C. A. '54-'55; Corridor Proctor '54;
 Fidelio '53-'55; Student Government '54-'55; Varsity
 Softball '54; A. C. A. Representative '53-'55.

ANN CANNON CLARK

M. O. Q. 2204, Camp Le Jeune, North Carolina
 1952-1955 Annie
Nine bells, Sir . . . Gungho . . . Semper Fi . . . Anyone
for Bridge? . . .
 A .D. S. '53-'54; Bazaar Committee '54; Corridor
 Proctor '53; Treasurer of Senior-Mid Class '54; Cour-
 ant Staff '54-'55; Fidelio '54-'55; Forum '52-'55;
 Honor Roll '53-'54; Honorable Mention '53; Junior
 Play '53; Commencement Play '54; Tennis Varsity
 '54.



MARTHA CLAIRE CLARK

1336 East Wayne Street North, South Bend, Indiana
 1953-1955 Marty
The Wrigley Spearmint Kid . . . Williams Weekends—Oh,
my knee! . . . Well, out in the Mid-West . . . We've got
plenty of time!
 Corridor Proctor '54; Treasurer of the Senior Class
 '54-'55; Honor Roll '53-'54; Hiking Leader '55; Year-
 book Staff '54-'55.



ANN RUTH CLEVELAND

63 Salem Street, Andover, Massachusetts

1953-1955 *Ann*
Love me, love my dog! . . . My boyfriend, Robbie . . .
Where's your maroon coat? . . . Let's take Cleveland's
Circle . . . Honey.

Study Hall Proctor '52-'53; Varsity Archery '52-'54;
 Numerals '54; Day Student Proctor '51; Bazaar
 Committee '54; Day Student Skit '53; Day Student
 Dance Committee '52-'53.



MARLENA COMAS BACARDI

Ave. San Felipe esq. a Cristo, Biltmore, Havana, Cuba
 1953-1955 *Marlena*

The charm of los cubanos . . . How good! . . . Oh-h-h,
not really? . . . Those eyes . . . Tomorrow, I diet!

Treasurer of A. C. A. '54-'55; Davis Hall Marshal
 '53-'54; Hiking Leader '54; Music Studio Committee
 '54-'55; Commencement Play '54; Yearbook Staff
 '54-'55.

MARCIA JANE COOPER

77 Ames Street, Lawrence, Massachusetts

1951-1955 *Coop*
Oh, for Pete's sake! . . . Where's Big Passion? . . . A
new jersey in the mail . . . Let's have a party . . .
Pictures . . . Now who are you knitting them for, Coop?
 Numerals '55; Yearbook Staff '54-'55; Day Student
 Proctor '51; Chairman of Prep Day Student Dance
 '52; Day Student Skit '53.





SUSAN SALISBURY DAVIS

9 Shelburne Road, Wellesley, Massachusetts

1952-1955

Sue
Honestly . . . Spare Me . . . Hi Sweetheart . . . Food on the Roof.

A. C. A. Representative '52-'53; Chapel Proctor '53; Corridor Proctor '52; Fidelio '54-'55; Head of Riding '54; Numerals '54.

JEAN DONOVAN

Pleasant Street, Norwell, Massachusetts

1952-1955

Donnie

Listen, dearie . . . The way to a man's heart is through his stomach . . . B' jabbers! , , , Harmonica kid.

Courant Staff '54-'55; Davis Hall Marshal '54; Head of Basketball '54; Head of Hiking '54-'55; Numerals '54; Junior Play '52; Recreation Room Committee '53-'55; Varsity Basketball '53-'54.



DOLORES DURYEE

70 Berwick Street, Worcester, Massachusetts

1954-1955

Dee

C'mon . . . Bop . . . Would you like to take the Music Studio? Melanchrino Strings . . . Has anybody got any food? . . . Appointment with Mr. Coon.

Chapel Proctor '54-'55; Fidelio '53-'55; Hiking Leader '54-'55; Head of Music Studio Committee '54-'55.

MARY WOOD EARHART

660 Earhart Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan

1953-1955

Earhart
Skater's Waltz . . . Dartmouth . . . Pizza and—, but it's
a Saturday Leave!

A. C. A. Representative '54-'55; A. D. S. '53-'54;
Head of Chapel Proctors '54-'55; Fidelio '53-'55;
Senior Play '54-'55.



NANCY ELIZABETH EASTHAM

64 Bartlett Street, Andover, Massachusetts

1951-1955

Nance
Fabulous . . . Yale OVER Harvard . . . Sooo many brothers
. . . Parties 1, 2, and 3 . . . Hey, gang . . . Are day
scholars being allowed?

Secretary of A. A. A. '54-'55; "A" Society '53-'55;
President of "A" Society '54-'55; Hockey Play Day
'53-'54; Lacrosse Play Day '53-'54; Bazaar Committee
'54; Chevrons '54; Secretary of Prep Class '51; Fi-
delio '52-'55; Secretary of Junior Class '52; Treasur-
er of Senior-Mid Class '53; Head of Track '54; Hon-
or Roll '51-'54; Numerals '53; Junior Play '53; Pos-
ture Marker '53; Senior Play '54; Junior Song Lead-
er '53; Sub-Varsity Hockey '53; Varsity Track '52-'53;
Varsity Lacross '53; Varsity Hockey '54; Day Stu-
dent Skit '53; Co-Chairman of Day Student Dance
'54.; Orchestra '53-'55.



ELEANOR MARIE EASTON

93 Andover Street, Andover, Massachusetts

1952-1955

Ellie
Oh you know . . . Early morning sessions with Joanie
. . . First period study? . . . Movies . . . Posture . . .
New Horizons!

Business Manager of Courant Staff '54-'55; Honor
Roll '52-'54; Honorable Mention '53; Fidelio '53-'55;
A. C. A. Representative '54-'55; Library Committee
'53-'54; Latin Play '54; Day Student Proctor '52;
Day Student Skit '53; Day Student Dance Committee
'52-'54.





BETSY BIRON ELLIOT

1000 Esplanade Avenue, Pelham Manor, New York
1952-1955 *Bets*
Tea anyone? . . . Sshhhh, Lee! . . . That Laugh of hers.
Vice-President of A. C. A. '54-'55; Bazaar Committee '54; Corridor Proctor '53-'54; Secretary of Junior Class '53; Davis Hall Marshal '53-'54; Fidelio '53-'55; Posture Marker '53-'54; Senior Play '54; Student Government '54-'55.

JANE ANNE ENGLISH

Uncas Point Road, Sachem's Head, Guilford,
Connecticut

1953-1955

Anne
Hot Dog! . . . A. H. A. . . . Madison . . . How yummy!
. . . Nightingale Voice.

A. D. S. '53-'54; Corridor Proctor '54; Choir '54-'55;
Dance Club '54-'55; Fidelio '53-'55; Head of Riding
'54; Hiking Leader '54; Commencement Play '54;
Senior Play '54.



DOROTHY BRADBURY FLEMING

39 Exeter Street Lawrence, Massachusetts

1951-1955

Dee
Words, words, words . . . Hey, listen . . . Fingers with
ears for music . . . Streaks of lightening.

Bazaar Committee '54; Choir '53-'55; Vice-President
of Junior Class '53; Secretary of Senior-Mid Class
'54; Dance Club '53-'55; Fidelio '53-'55; New Fi-
delio '53; Numerals '53; Junior Play '53; Recreation
Room Committee '53-'54; Prep Song Leader '52;
Sub-Varsity Softball '54; Student Government '54-
'55; Day Student Dance Committee '51; Co-Chair-
man of Day Student Dance '54; Student Proctor '52-
'54.



JOLYNE HAFFNER FOURNIER

64 Bigelow Street, Lawrence, Massachusetts

1951-1955

Jo
Starry-eyed . . . Morning after the night before . . . Complete daze . . . You know what? . . . Tennis anyone? . . . Animal Crackers.

"A" Society '54; Chevron '54; Dance Club '54-'55; Head of Softball '54; Head of Tennis '54; Numerals '53; Varsity Tennis '53,'54; Varsity Softball '54; Day Student Skit '53.



HELEN CAMPBELL GARDNER

12 Woodland Road, Sewickley, Pennsylvania

1953-1955

Lyn
Oh, brother! . . . Knitting in the dark . . . Who, me have scales? . . . Take me back to the wide open spaces!

Treasurer of A. A. A. '54-'55; Bazaar Committee '54; Fidelio '53-'55; Griffin Song Leader '54-'55; Basketball Varsity '53; W. U. S. Representative '53-'54; Yearbook Staff '54-'55. Choir '54-'55

LORRAINE MARIE GIBBS

Lewis Street, Marion, Massachusetts

1951-1955

Lorrie
Milton is THE place! . . . Don't say that! . . . All wrapped up in Dental Floss . . . Let's study!! . . . Rick says . . . Are you coming?

Corridor Proctor '51, '53, '54; President of Junior Class '52; Courant Staff '54-'55; Davis Hall Marshal '53-'54; Fidelio '54-'55; Junior Play '54; Posture Marker '52; W. U. S. Representative '54-'55.





SARAH DANFORTH GRAF

827 Beech Street, Monchester, New Hampshire
1953-1955 *Sal*
Cute Tricks . . . Don't beef, you son of a gun! . . . Let's hash it over . . . New Hampshire-born and New Hampshire-bred . . . Money burns a hole in my pocket.
Bozoor Committee '54; President of Senior-Mid Closs '54; President of Senior Closs '54-'55; Prom Committee '54; Recreation Room Committee '53-'54; Fidelio '54-'55; Student Government '54-'55.

DEBORAH HALL STANTON GREEN

53 Birch Road, Darien, Connecticut
1952-1955 *Debbie*
Oh, wonderful! . . . S. S. Pierce Gourmet . . . Esthetic Poetry and Deep Philosophy . . . Smiles.
Secretary of A. C. A. '54-'55; Bozoor Committee '54; Cheerleader '54-'55; Chapel Proctor '53; Corridor Proctor '52; Davis Hall Marshal '53; Fidelio '54-'55; Forum '52-'55; Head of Archery '54; Junior Play '53; Varsity Tennis '54; Varsity Archery '53-'54; Yearbook Stoff '54-'55; Prom Committee '54.



MARGARET HOLBROOK

Guard Hill Road, Bedford, New York
1951-1955 *Peggins*
Peanuts and Chocolate Bits . . . My Stars!! . . . Haircuts and Posters . . . I'd love to help!
"A" Society '54-'55; Bazaor Committee '54; Chapel Proctor '53-'54; Corridor Proctor '53-'54; Vice-President of Prep Class '51; Secretary of Senior-Mid Closs '53; Courant Stoff '53-'55; Donce Club '52-'55; Davis Hall Marshal Head '53-'54; Fidelio '53-'55; Honor Roll '52-'54; Honorable Mention '52; Numerols '53; Junior Play '53; Posture Morker '53-'54; Senior Ploy '54; Secretary of Student Government '54-'55; W. U. S. Representative '52-'53; Prom Committee '54.



MARY ANN HOLDEN

Cumberland Foreside, Portland, Maine

1953-1955

Cookie

*I've got to gain some weight! . . . Me, in French IV?
. . . Those red heels! . . . Anything for Courant?*

Chapel Proctor '54; Corridor Proctor '54; Editor-In-Chief of Courant '54-'55; Dance Club '54-'55; Davis Hall Marshal '54; New Fidelio '54; Fidelio '54-'55; Honor Roll '53-'54; Honorable Mention '53; Commencement Play '54.



NANCY JOHNSON

77 Bartlett Road, Winthrop, Massachusetts

1953-1955

Nance

*You can be dispensed with! . . . Did Dartmouth win? . . .
Changed horses in mid-stream . . . Don't know, do ya?
. . . Constantly on a diet.*

Corridor Proctor '54; Head of Nursery School '54-'55.

GRETCHEN ABIGAIL JORDAN

707 Thomas Street, Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania

1953-1955

Gretch

*She's normal . . . I've had it! . . . Ja-ane! . . . Blond, but
not dumb . . . How 'bout that?*

Bazaar Committee '54; Vice President Senior-Mid Class '54; Vice President Senior Class '54-'55; Dance Club '54-'55; Davis Hall Marshal '53-'54; Honor Roll '53-'54; Student Government '54-'55.





JANE KENT

1 Pine Street, Exeter, New Hampshire

1953-1955

Janie

Well, excuse me, but . . . George! . . . Few compliments, but well worth waiting for . . . Can I play net?

A. C. A. Representative '54-'55; Chapel Proctor '54; Davis Hall Marshal '53; Varsity Tennis '54; Year-book Staff '54-'55.

ANNE KITTREDGE

169 Andover Street, North Andover, Massachusetts
1952-1955

Kitt

Dimples . . . Extended weekend . . . Orange and black! . . . Driving? . . . No, I don't mean that . . . Knee deep in paint.

Head of Day Students '54-'55; Fidelio '53-'55; Day Student Skit '53; Bazaar Committee '54; Day Student Dance Committee '53; Junior Play '53; Proctor '53.



CYNTHIA ATKINSON KNOX

Mountain Avenue, Princeton, New Jersey

1953-1955

Nicky

Princeton . . . Horses . . . Well, listen Beauty! . . . Perfect posture.

A. D. S. '53-'54; Chapel Proctor '53-'54; Forum '53-'55; Hiking Leader '54; Library Committee '54; Senior Play '54; Commencement Play '54; Head of Posture Week '54.

JOAN STAFFORD LAMPREY

43 Morton Street, Andover, Massachusetts

1953-1955

Joanie
Pick Pocket . . . Where's Little Passion? . . . Secrets
. . . First period get-together . . . Uncontrollable laughter . . . Every week-end.

Library Committee '54; Numerals '53; Junior Play '53; Day Student Skit '53; Day Student Dance Committee '52-'54.



ALICE AMY LAWRENCE

35 Waterville Road, Farmington, Connecticut

1952-1955

Al
Therefore . . . Should I go on a diet? . . . Those long shots . . . Hi, Doll . . . Handsome brother.

Chapel Proctor '53; Recreation Room Committee '54; Varsity Basketball '54; Yearbook Staff '54-'55; Senior Parlor Committee '54-'55.

LISTER

Summer address: Notre Dame, France

Always

That chlorophyll look . . . Nodding head . . . Lopsided walk.

Lister

Hockey 1, 2, 3 teams '54; Gargoyle Cheerleader '51-'55; Head of Lion Hunt '53-54; Chief Occupant of Crow's Nest.





KATHERINE JANE CHATFIELD LLOYD

21 William Street, Andover, Massachusetts

1953-1955

Kathy
Orchestra Tonight!? . . . Tell me, too . . . First period
gab session . . . Slowpoke . . . Rarin' to go.

A. C. A. Representative '53-'54; Dance Club '54-'55;
Fidelio '53-'55; Honor Roll '53-'54; Senior Play '54;
Orchestra '54-'55; Day Student Skit '53.

SUSAN ELLEN McGUIRE

133 Lower Boulevard, New London, Connecticut
1953-1955

Sue

Gargs, you were great! . . . Chug-a-lug for the Irish . . .
Oh, for a sail! . . . Nobody laughs at my jokes!

A. A. A. '54-'55; A. D. S. '53-'54; Bazaar Committee
'54; Cheerleader '54-'55; Chapel Proctor '54; Forum
'53-'54; Commencement Play '54; Captain of the
Gargoyles '54-'55; Senior Play '54.



C. CHRISTINE MAYNARD

1 Judson Road, Andover, Massachusetts

1951-1955

Chris

You'll see! . . . Raccoon . . . Bull's eye! . . . Subtle hu-
mor . . . Alligator fur . . . Drama . . . Men from Mars.

Honorable Mention '52; Junior Play '53; Numerals
'54; Posture Marker '52; Latin Play '54; Proctor '52;
Day Student Dance Committee '52.



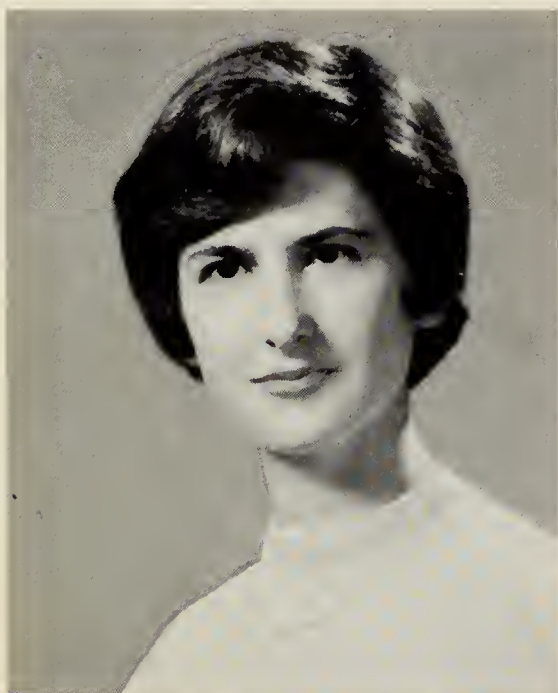
MARY SOPHIA MINARD

210 Main Street, Andover, Massachusetts

1951-1955

Mary
Jam session . . . Wait for me, Nance . . . Hey, humpty-
dump! . . . Every Spring! Oh we're from the planet Toni
. . . L3 . . . T. V. Bug.

Honor Roll '51-'54; Honorable Mention '51-'54; "A"
Society '54; Hockey Play Day '54; Chapel Proctor
'51-'52; Numerals '53; Fidelio '53-'55; Head of Hock-
ey '54; Posture Marker '52-'54; Senior Play '54; Var-
sity Softball '54; Proctor '52-'54; Day Student Dance
Committee '53-'54; Varsity Hockey '54; Bazaar Com-
mittee '54; Day Student Skit '53; Chevrons '54; La-
tin Play '54.



JULIANA MORELLI

40 Avon Street, Wakefield, Massachusetts

1951-1955

Juli
Ipswich . . . Chocolate chip cookies . . . Mirshed . . .
I'm Starving!!!

A. C. A. Representative '52-'54; Bazaar Committee
'54; Corridor Proctor '53; Numerals '53; Junior Play
'52; Commencement Play '54; Yearbook Staff '54-
'55; Senior Parlor Committee '54-'55.

MARY VIRGINIA MUNROE

127 Lookout Drive, Dayton 9, Ohio

1953-1955

Tucky
You said a bad word!! . . . Ay-yi-yi . . . Theologically in-
clined . . . Honest to Pete . . . Weekend at Miss Friskin's.
Choir '54-'55; Secretary of the Senior Class '54-'55;
Fidelio '53-'55; Head of Tennis '54; Honorable Men-
tion '54; Music Studio Committee '54-'55; Senior-Mid
Song Leader '53-'54; School Song Leader '54-'55;
Varsity Tennis '54; President of Fidelio '54-'55.





KAREN ELIZABETH OLSON

1228 East Woodside, South Bend, Indiana

1953-1955

Karen

The other Council member . . . The gift of a Moosehead from P. A. . . . But, Mademoiselle, I can't roll my r's . . . Okay, you all, be quiet.

Davis Hall Marshal '54; Hiking Leader '54; Music Studio Committee '54-'55; Recreation Room Committee '53-'54; Editor-in-Chief of Yearbook '54-'55.

ELIZABETH ANNE OPPMANN

1270 Hathaway Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio

1952-1955

Liz

Shut the door! . . . Book-of-the-Month . . . James and his Siamese Cats . . . Show Biz . . . Down Home.

Bazaar Committee '54; Corridor Proctor '52-'54; Courant Staff '54-'55; Davis Hall Marshal '53-'54; Fidelio '54-'55; W. U. S. Representative '52-'53.



JEANNE SKILLIN

555 Lincoln Road, New Britain, Connecticut

1952-1955

Jeannie

Constantly pulling your leg . . . Seriously, now . . . Loads of sweaters . . . I'm dying to! . . . Hi. Kid.

A. C. A. Representative '53-'54; Bazaar Committee '54; Corridor Proctor '52; Vice-President of Junior Class '52; President of Senior-Mid Class '53; New Fidelio '53; Fidelio '53-'55; Varsity Basketball '54; Vice-President of Student Government '54-'55.

NATALIE ELLEN SMISSAERT

West Road, New Canaan, Connecticut

1952-1955

Lee

*Little Lee . . . Capezio Heels . . . Oh, I know him . . .
Come the Revolution . . . Uncle Louie.*

Bazaar Committee '54; Chapel Proctor '52-'53; Corridor Proctor '54; Davis Hall Marshal '53-'54; New Fidelio '54; Fidelio '54-'55; Forum '53-'54; Honor Roll '53-'54; Library Committee '53-'54; Numerals '54; Recreation Room Committee '54-'55; Tennis Varsity '53-'55; Head of News '54-'55.



CARROLL SMITH

1000 Ninth Street, Fairmont, West Virginia

1954-1955

Carroll

*You all . . . Contrasting Colors . . . It's not U. Va.! . . .
Hi, Hon . . . Argyles . . . Freckles plus . . . I'm just
being sociable!*

Chapel Proctor '54-'55; Fidelio '54-'55; Senior Class Song Leader '54-'55; W. U. S. Representative '54-'55.

DIANE ELAINE SOROTA

254 South Main Street, Andover, Massachusetts

1951-1955

Di

*Sorota Slank . . . My father says . . . Join the club . . .
But, I've worn it once already . . . Witty? . . . Yellow
Jeeps?*

Courant Staff '54-'55; Library Committee '53-'54; Numerals '54; Junior Play '53; Day Student Dance Committee '51-'52; Day Student Skit '53; Proctor '54.





LOUISE STEPHENSON

310 Green Bank Lane, Rosemont, Pennsylvania

1952-1955

Stephie

Big Blue Eyes . . . Mirabile dictu . . . Long exotic earrings . . . Consideration.

Bazaar Committee '54; Courant Staff '54-'55; Fidelio '54-'55; Forum '53-'54; Hiking Leader '54; Library '54; Library Committee '53-'55; Posture Marker '52-'54; W. U. S. Representative '52-'53.

KATHERINE STIRLING

Whittier Street, Andover, Massachusetts

1952-1955

Kathy

Book worm . . . Chevy . . . Hesitation . . . Changed . . .

Dog lover . . . Day Student from Chicago.

Forum '52; Senior Play '54.



CAROL CARTER STRATON

34 Maple Avenue, Warwick, New York

1953-1955

Cart

Cheer up, you'll soon be dead! . . . Somebody goofed . . . Roommate! . . . Would you volunteer to set breakfast? . . . Let's vitie it up a little!

Bazaar Committee '54; Choir '54-'55; Fidelio '54-'55; Music Studio Committee '54-'55; Commencement Play '54; Recreation Room Committee '53-'54; Senior Play '54; Varsity Tennis '54; Head of W. U. S. '54-'55; New Fidelio '54.

SARA PECK WATROUS

Rimmon Road, Woodbridge, Connecticut

1952-1955

Sally

Up a creek without a paddle . . . They have a problem . . . Take a powder . . . And how many Prom dates?

Hockey Play Day '54; Corridor Proctor '54; Fidelio '54-'55; Hiking Leader '54; Honor Roll '53; Honorable Mention '53; Numerals '54; Hockey Sub-Varsity '53; Hockey Varsity '54; Yearbook Staff '54-'55; Student Chairman of Gym Fund '54-'55; Senior Parlor Committee '54-'55.



SHERYL EVERETT WORMLEY

1712 Sixteenth Street N. W., Washington, D. C.

1953-1955

Sheryl

What, what, what? . . . Jewelry . . . Crazy about Jazz . . . Parlez-vous francais? . . . What's the latest?

Chapel Proctor '54; Corridor Proctor '54; Courant Staff '54-'55; W. U. S. Representative '53-'54.

MARY ANN YUDICKY

Amherst, New Hampshire

1953-1955

Mary Ann

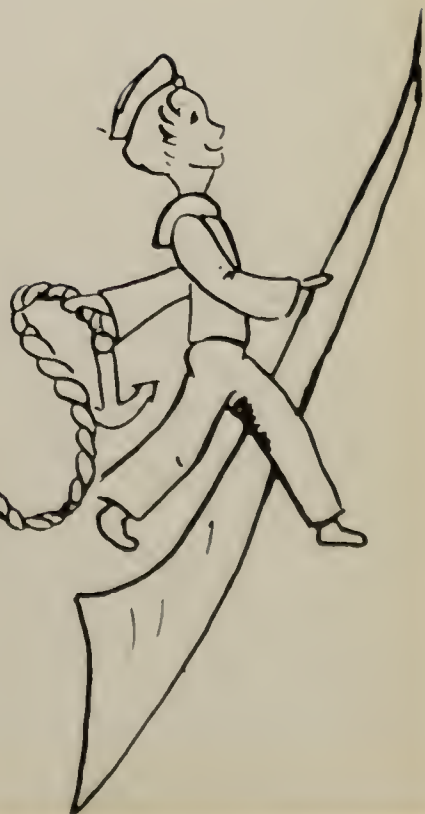
Oh, those medical leaves! . . . Passion for Pogo . . . Lost nine pounds! . . . Hey, roommate! . . . Man, that beat!

Vice-President of A. A. A. '54-'55; Cheerleader '53-'55; Corridor Proctor '54; Forum '53-'54; Hiking Leader '54; Honor Roll '53-'54; Library Committee '53-'54; Commencement Play '54; Posture Marker '53-'54 Student Government '54-'55; Prom Committee '54.





Extracurricular Activities



CUM LAUDE



CUM LAUDE

Front Row: M. A. Yudicky, M. Minard, A. Clark, E. Easton (Middle Row): L. Bell, M. A. Holden, S. Best, N. Smissaert, G. Jordan. (Back Row): K. Lloyd, N. Eastham, M. Holbrook.



SENIOR PICNIC

The combination of a crisp but sunny Saturday, a large stretch of sandy beach, a group of lively companions made the Senior picnic a very successful excursion. The fresh salt air whipped up good appetites for the delicious lunch provided, and our after-lunch wading did nothing to dampen our spirits! All too soon a shower of rain made us take refuge in the busses, and we drove back to Abbot, full of memories of a great Senior picnic.



CLASS PLAY

"Pygmalion"

"By George, Elisa!"



"Guv'nor, I take my Bible oath."



"What's to become of me?"



INTERVALE



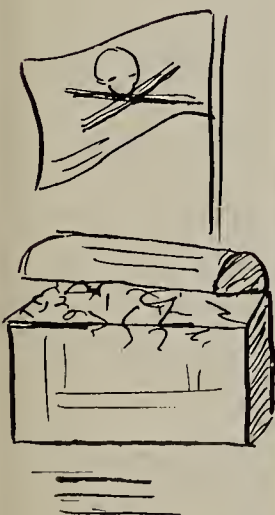
The wind whipping fresh snow against us, the skimming of skis on a slope, a fast turn and that exulted feeling or a tumble—we were at Intervale. A fireside and the relaxing companionship of "Pooh", burnt marshmallows and a feeling of contentment—Intervale—three days of fun and a united class.



The Blue Octave

SENIOR PROM

With Gretchen Jordan as our chairman the prom weekend was a great success. On board the S. S. Abbot Saturday night we danced to the music of Georges Trudeau. On land, at the Sea Inn, we were surprised by an array of sea horses, ancient maps, and brightly colored fish. We were pleasantly entertained by the Peadquacs and the Blue Octave. We hated to see that last car pull away from the campus Sunday afternoon.



LOG 1951-1955



In the year nineteen hundred and fifty-one, the S. S. Abbot left port with 26 aboard for a cruise through the Abbot years. During the first leg of our journey we sailed through rough waters and calm seas, experiencing many memorable events. Of course at this time we lived on the lowest deck, in compartment Abbey, traveling steerage and getting all the bumps. In living quarters such as ours we often had difficulties—such as the morning we awoke to find a flood which was caused by leaking accommodations. On weekends we looked forward to visits from the crew of the S. S. Andover. Although our time was limited, we managed to dance a few hornpipes around the deck.

After three months' shore leave, we returned to the S. S. Abbot with new crew members for another lap of our voyage. Some of us bunked in Abbey, the rest of us in Sherman and Homestead, on the tourist deck. Here we provided entertainment for the whole ship by producing *The Tempest*. Later, during the cruise, the deck-hands of Homestead provided us with a change from the usual galley "vittles." During the Spring of this year, the crew of Homestead started the epidemic of "sea-sickness" which spread from deck to deck. Recovering from the epidemic, we were able to hold several after-watch parties before ending this leg of our journey.

Resuming our journey after another shore leave, our crew was increased by 17 new members on Second Compartment Draper. Our bumps from previous decks healed, we now sailed a smoother course. We celebrated at the bazaar this year the 125th Anniversary of the

S. S. Abbot. Although it was held below deck, we came closer to our goal for the gym fund. With all good wishes for the departing midshipmen we bade them good-bye with our Commencement Play.

To complete our crew, now quartered on First Deck, Compartment Draper, we added five midshipmen and sailed forth, gradually approaching our last port. For the remembrance of all our wonderful years on board the S. S. Abbot, Miss Hearsey presented us with our rings. During Deck-Cleaning Week, while most of the swabbies were hard at work, we took a shore leave to Intervale.

"Up to the snow slopes,

The high and the low slopes,
We hurried without delay.

With help of instruction,
We had no destruction,

Though we fell most of the way!"

Back on board ship, we held the S. S. Abbot Prom in March, with dates from surrounding ships. With permission for a shore leave we went to a near-by tavern, "The Sea Inn," for refreshments. Entertainment was provided by the S. S. Exeter "Peaquacs" and the "Blue Octave."

During our last days on board ship, we docked at Ipswich for our last midshipmen picnic. The hot dogs and hamburgers from the galley were the best ever.

We will never forget all our experiences on the S. S. Abbot, but the most memorable of all was graduation, June 6, 1955.—And now as we set out on the sea of life, we take with us a rose and a diploma as symbols of our life aboard the S. S. Abbot.



WEATHER FORECAST

After picking up my reservations for my approaching trip from Marcia Cooper, I hurried to the Ritz Carlton Hotel where I was greeted by Mary Minard, a prominent New York socialite, who was giving a Bon Voyage Party in my honor. I noticed Kathy Stirling preparing to take a picture and realized why, when with a bang Diane Sorota jumped from a huge cake in the middle of the room. She introduced the "Harmonious Hoosier Hicks," Marty Clark and Karen Olson, who sang their own rendition of "Casualties." Amidst resounding applause I felt I should leave in order to make the early boat the following morning.

I was awakened by Nancy Johnson, who presented me with a cold ice pack and informed me that the boat was leaving in half an hour. Surprisingly enough, I made the boat, and the voyage was very calm except for a near collision with Betsy Beal and Sue McGuire, who were sailing in the Newport to Bermuda Race—and numerous interruptions by Jean Donovan's twelve children.

The last night on shipboard we were entertained royally by the Draper Dreams, Gail Baldwin, Jeanne Skillin, Carroll Smith, and Dee Fleming, accompanied by Eleanor Easton on the keys. I was proud of these five Abbot girls who had just hit the million mark with their newest record.

Arriving in London the following day, I hopped a bus with Betsy Elliot as its guide. While in one of the poorer sections, whom should I see but Pam Carpenter conducting a sidewalk class in Spanish for the Cockneys. Heading in the other direction, I found Dee Duryee practicing the organ in Westminster Abbey. The next stop was Scotland Yard, which I learned had Kathy Lloyd as its head. Being a great sports enthusiast, I traveled to Wimbledon to see Jolyne Fournier defend her title. Lorrie Gibbs was the timekeeper.

Since Scotland was so near, I put aside a day for a visit. There I was flabbergasted to see Libby Baldwin, at 250 pounds, the chief bouncer of Beth Chandler's School of Atlanta Bop for all Highland Flingers. Marlena Comas was keeping the customers happy with Bacardi Rum.

After this exciting day in Scotland I took a clipper to Switzerland, making a fast stop in Sweden to hear Anne English sing. She is said to have taken Jenny Lind's place in international fame, and I can well believe it.

Reaching Switzerland, I immediately went to the Alps where I was greeted by Nancy Eastham of the Swiss Ski Patrol and was later instructed by Mary Earhart and Mary Ann Yudicky in their famous ski school.

With no broken bones, I arrived in Rome just in time to see Lyn Gardner in the opening of *The Barber of Seville*. I met Debbie Green

during the intermission and found that she was redoing the Sistine Chapel. We were suddenly interrupted by Juli Morelli; who was selling her scrumptious Submarine Sandwiches.

The next day I decided to check up on the Kremlin and its new faction, Clarkism, instigated by Ann Clark. I also found that Cookie Holden was taking inventory on the newly-introduced social activities.

Tiring of the cold climate, I went to India where I met Carol Straton, who told me that she was Gretchen Jordan's secretary, Getchen being Nehru's famed psychoanalyst. I also ran into Judy Carpenter, who was engaged in charming snakes with her magic trumpet.

After a quick trip to Siam, where I saw Sheryl Wormley, the renowned Siamese dancer, and Louise Stephenson training cats, I flew to Africa, where I bumped into Ann Kittredge working on an important excavation. She and Joan Lamprey, who was the entomologist in the group, took me to the place where Jane Kent was teaching the natives to figure skate.

From there I took the next boat to Spain and hurried to the bullfights. Liz Oppmann was the star toreador, and between the fights I enjoyed the entertainment of Mariby Burrowes and Heidi Angevine on guitars.

On the way to Holland I picked up a paper and read of a teachers' convention, where two of the main speakers were Sally Watrous, teacher of agriculture in the Belgian Congo, and Chris Maynard, professor of mathematics at Heidelberg.

In Holland Sue Davis, who was the chief operator of a windmill, told me of Lee Smissaert's latest book on the psychology behind the raising of tulips.

Needing a little relaxation, I journeyed down to the Riviera and stayed at a hotel managed very successfully by Sue Blake. I ran into Nicky Knox in the lobby, who told me that she was now Aly Khan's stable-boy. I then went to Sue Appleton's School of Charleston. I was driven to Paris by Alice Lawrence who was entered in the Monte Carlo-to-Paris sports car race. I was greeted there by Starr Best, the Ambassador to France. Seeing the sights of Paris, I arrived at Montmartre, where I bumped into Louise Bell selling his paintings. Also there was Ann Cleveland with her French Poodles with whom she was touring the continent. Back at my hotel I ran into Peggins Holbrook with another exotic hairdo; she had just come from the establishment of Tucky Munroe, the famous coiffeuse. She told me of Sally Graf's plans for an Abbot reunion of the Class of 1955 to be held on its 25th anniversary in the Sahara Desert. On that note I left to prepare to meet all my old acquaintances once again.





And here we are



The arrival of the Pot Pourri



Plaids and stripes forever!



"Are you interested?"



The Christmas dinner



Christmas bonnets



"Make mine burnt"



Last minute brush-up of lines



All the comforts of home!



We're on our way!

Che-e-e-e-ese



Mid-year tornado!



Sextones



Ham — The meat, that is!

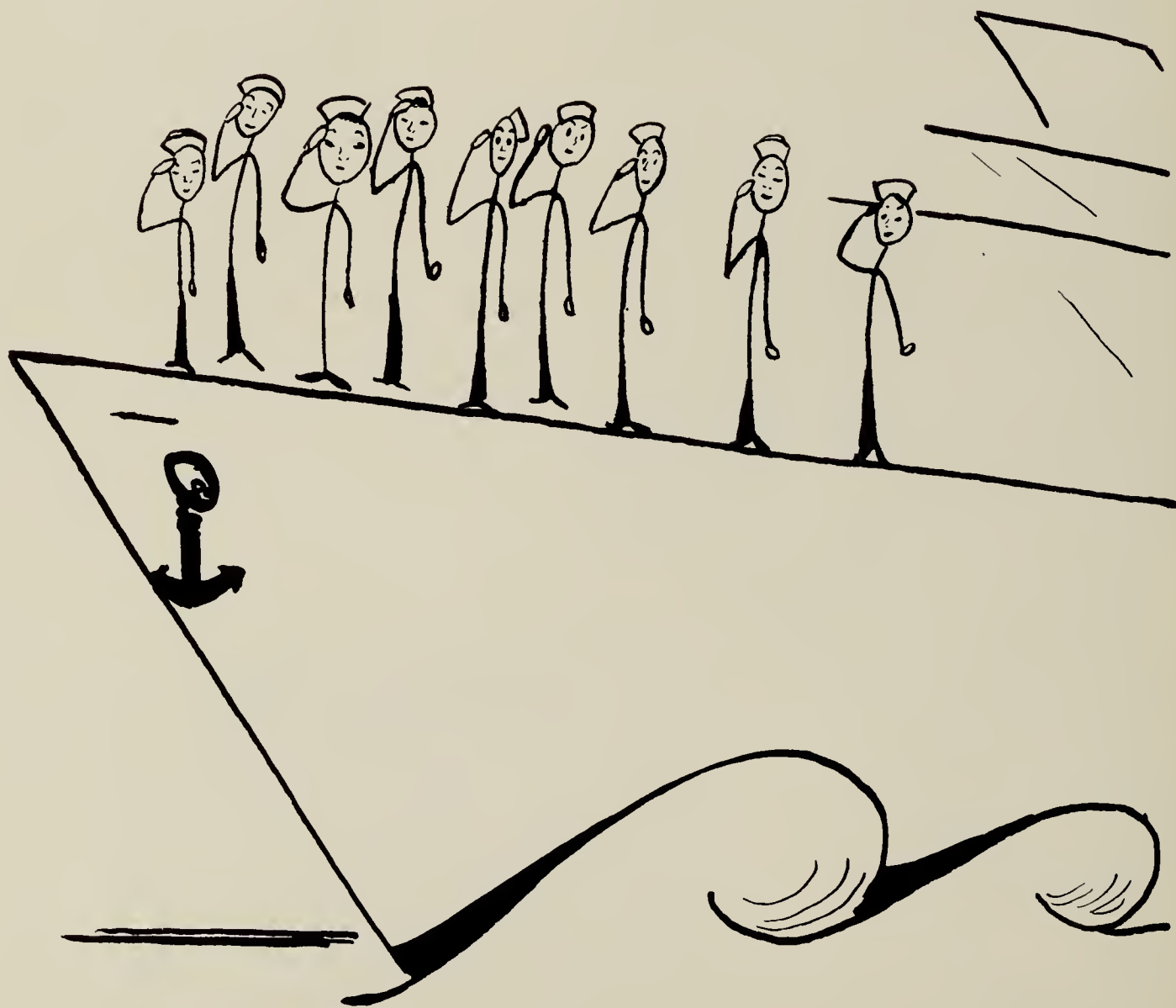


Look what I got!



Sitting ducks

THE



IN WHICH RESTS THE HONOR

CREW



AND SUCCESS OF THE SHIP



Front Row: S. Henriquez, D. Holbrook, L. Day, C. Kelton, B. Harrison, M. Emsley, B. Henry. Middle Row: M. Lupe, L. Johnson, E. Edmonds, P. Hipple, J. Chase, V. Dakin, S. Kaver, G. Callahan, B. Hurd, E. Exerjian, N. Eubanks, S. Knox. Third row: M. A. Faggiano, F. Fenn, E. MacKinnon, J. Glidden, A. Kubler, R. Kimball, P. Estes, M. Archer, M. deCholnoky, C. Kemper, M. Eastman, L. Dowlin.

SENIOR-MIDS

One Day Emmet and I took a Tripp on our Boat, the S. S. Senior-mid. As we went Glidden over the Waterous, the Rays of the sun Pearced the clouds, and we Hurd the Mary Caroling Pheobe Birds singing in a nearby Fenn. Swiftly we Chased the Whitecaps out to sea, but a Gail blew up and Knoxed our ship about. Emmet and I Kavered in a corner, our MacKinnontoshes pulled around us to Ward off the rain which was Pelton in our faces. A Minor difficulty, caused by the storm, forced us to use our Orrs, and we soon decided to Turner around. On the distant Harrison we saw Anne island, and I Syd to Emmet: "We'd better head for the Eubanks."

We jumped into our lifeboat and quickly started for shore. Before reaching the Sandy beach, where we Moored our dinghy, we passed through a clump of Reeds. Emmet Luped the painter around a Peg which he found stuck in the sand.

As we Marilyn walked along, Emmet exclaimed, "My legs feel rather Twombly from being on the boat so long — let's Lele down." "No," I said, "we must explore the island in the hope of finding either a Holbrook or a Well." Soon Emmet, with his viVidi imagination, thought he heard a Hipplepotomus in the brush, but it proved to be a Woolvie drinking from a small stream. He proved to be too Peppy for us, however, and disappeared from our sight.

Being hungry, due to the brisk January weather, we proceeded to Prial open. our Wickham lunch basket. Emmet said, "On your Mar-go" and we ravenously devoured the food.

Suddenly a Warren came riding up on his Graceful Morgan horse and proceeded to Sue us. He then showed us the no trespassing sign on the Barb-wire fence, and by this time, his Roth and Kemper were aroused. We quickly left the island after paying the Dowlin and all Linded a hand to the oars. The crew Nanced with joy when we reached the deck and thus ended our GOLiver's travel.



Senior-Mid Class Officers First Term: A. Tripp, Vice-President; D. Holbrook, Treasurer; R. Kimball, Secretary; L. Day, President.



Senior-Mid Class Officers Second Term: N. Eubanks, Treasurer; P. Hipple, President; S. Prial, Vice-President; W. Ward, Secretary.



Front Row: B. White, J. Tatman, C. Reed, M. Moore, N. Smith, P. Wadsworth, S. Waterous, J. Sweetsir. Middle Row: M. Orr, B. Wells, M. Rothwell, E. Morgan, S. Richmond, M. L. Stiegler, M. Minor, S. Wickham, G. Turner, P. Pearce, J. Warren, G. Titcomb. Back Row: S. Prial, S. Sullivan, A. Woolverton, E. Rulon-Miller, M. Oliver, N. Swift, E. Welles, M. Roth, E. Parker, A. Tripp, W. Ward, L. Pelton, A. Twombly.





Front Row: B. Hayes, M. Carter, S. Christy, B. Bradley, L. Cornwall, C. Gaines, P. Bijur. Middle Row: M. Ganem, D. Hallowell, A. Bowden, C. Cooper, H. Hamilton, J. Bradley, K. Earthrowl, E. Edmonds. Back Row: D. Dane, M. Colby, P. Brennan, S. Carr, C. Erickson, A. Gramkow, N. Cooper, M. Buckley, N. Davison, C. Green, C. Curry.

JUNIORS

Eight months and six days ago, the faculty and upperclassmen were blessed with the arrival of a new Junior class. This class was composed of new and old girls of different shapes, sizes, and personalities, and dedicated to the task of upholding the work and "hacking" of Junior classes gone before. Our chief site has been Abbot campus. Other favorite sites have been Ford's, P. A., Middlesex, Exeter, Kent, and such scenic places. We have followed the lead of other Junior classes; we have our own familiar sayings, such as, "Oh Bliss," "Male Mail," "Come to the party after lights," "I dibbs the shower," and "Help me with my argyles"! We have been divided into four houses—Abbey, Sherman, Draper, and Homestead. We will not be remembered for this, but for our unity as a class. We highly resolve that in the future years, we will continue in this oneness of spirit!



Junior Class Officers First Term: L. Wooldredge, Vice-President; M. A. Spurgeon, President; L. Sulzbacher, Treasurer; D. Hallowell, Secretary.



Junior Class Officers Second Term: N. Davison, Vice-President; V. Ogden, President; P. Holbrook, Secretary; M. Buckley, Treasurer.



Front Row: P. Slifer, J. Plowden, L. Wooldredge, L. Lehmann, L. Sulzbacher, N. Saltonstall. Middle Row: F. Young, M. A. Spurgeon, J. Reynolds, P. Holbrook, V. Ogden, J. McLean, J. Medwed, E. Parker. Back Row: A. Luquer, M. Pearce, S. Rairdon, L. McLaughlin, D. Tillson, P. Post, E. Meyer, N. Ruhlin, D. Smith, E. Horan, G. Oddy.





Front Row: J. Christie, J. Callahan, S. Leavitt, N. Colby, K. Taggard, C. Kimball, B. Leech. Middle Row: A. DiClementi, S. Tidd, C. Sandberg, J. Shanklin, E. Artz, J. New, M. O'Connor, K. Fuller. Back Row: M. A. Savage, V. Morgan, C. Gomez, H. Hallett, P. Sherman, R. Granger, F. Owsley, A. Daley, S. Slater, S. Thrall, L. Wheeler.

PREPS

Prep Class Officers, (Seated): P. Sherman, Vice-President 1st term; E. Artz, President 1st term; S. Tidd, Treasurer 1st term, President 2nd term; A. Daley, Secretary 1st term, Vice-President 2nd term; *(Standing):* C. Sandberg, Secretary 2nd term; J. Christie, Treasurer 2nd term.



We're the class of '58,
We're the Preps, the class that's great.
Whether we rise or whether we fall,
No one can beat us, we're tops in all.
To our teachers we're nothing but a pain in the neck.
To our upperclassmen our future we'll wreck.
We're disgracefully bad, but we always have fun,
But can get down to work when there's work to be done.
We're the lowest of low, yet the best of the best,
Tho' each one's considered a miserable pest!
Still, give us a chance, and we'll soon pull through.
To the greatest of classes, Preps, here's to you!



With your support I'll

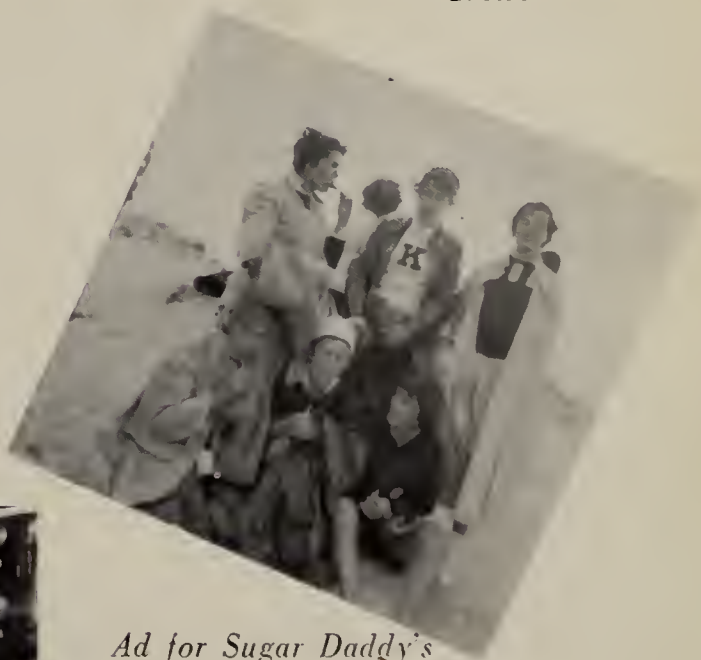


Back in the good old days

Bottoms up!



Crewcuts



Ad for Sugar Daddy's



9:30 Rush



"I hope, I hope!"

When we were strong!





Treats before tricks



"Do I hear \$2.75?"



Red Indian=Letter



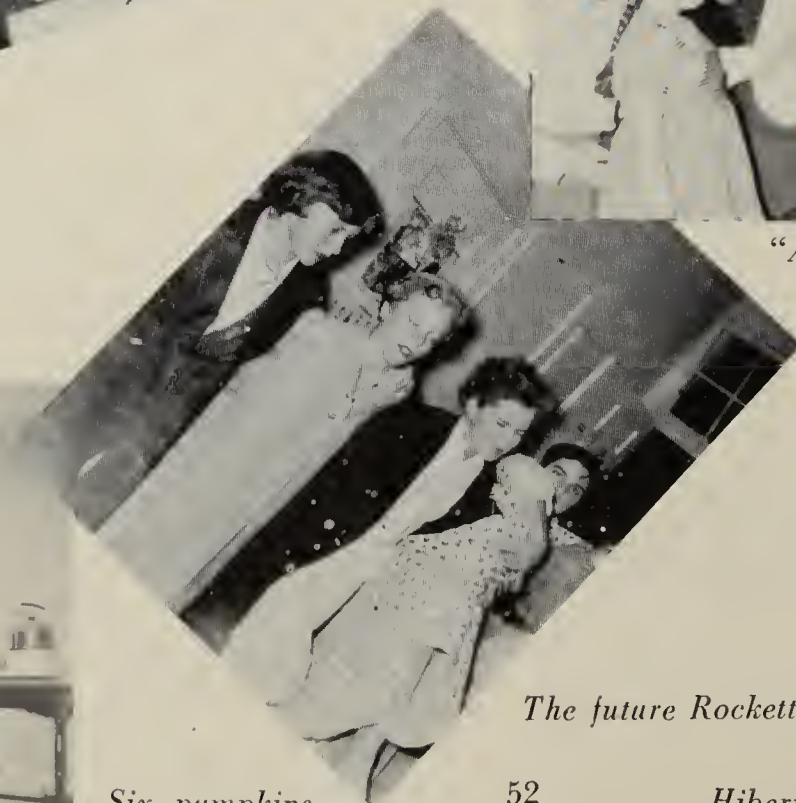
Miss Hale's reading



A friend in need



*The one and only
Mr. Robb*



"Are you really coming down the chimney?"



Six pumpkins

The future Rockettes



Hibernation



What is our future?

Dominos



Three Cheers



The gang's all here



Collector's Items!



Ready for a bedtime story



For the finest in foods



Hearty appetites

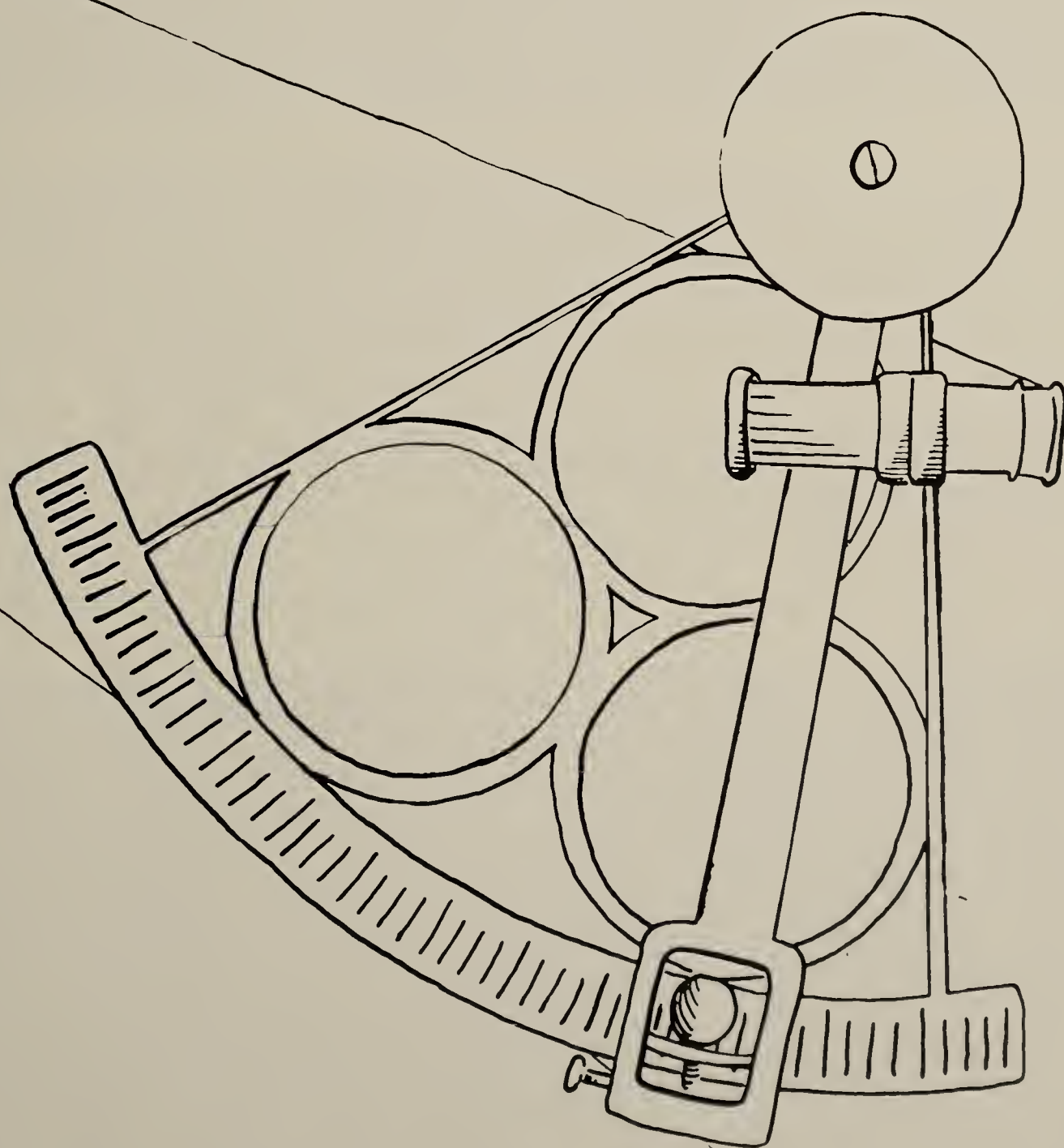


The men of our life



Tomorrow I diet







STUDENT GOVERNMENT

SENIOR COUNCIL

Standing: P. Carpenter, M. A. Yudicky, B. Elliott, G. Jordan, S. Graf, B. Chandler. *(Seated):* D. Fleming, J. Skillin, L. Bell, M. Holdbrook, A. Kittredge.

Every girl at Abbot becomes a member of the Abbot School Government Association. In the association, each girl has a personal and definite part to play; whether as a Student Government representative, a proctor or a loyal supporter, she is indispensable to the smooth running of the school.

Our Abbot colors are Blue and White; our motto — "Facem praetendit ardentum" — "she extends a burning torch". Through our attitude in this association, as well as all phases of school life, let us hold our colors high and strive to be true to our motto.

From the Student Government Pledge

Front Row: P. Sherman, E. Artz, L. Wooldredge, M. A. Spurgeon, A. Tripp, S. Prial, V. Ogden, N. Davison, S. Tidd. *Middle Row:* G. Jordan, S. Graf, B. Elliott, B. Chandler, L. Day, P. Hipple, A. Kittredge, D. Fleming, P. Carpenter, M. A. Yudicky, A. Daley. *Back Row:* J. Skillin, L. Bell, M. Holbrook.





A.C.A. Representatives, (Front Row): H. Hamilton, L. McLaughlin, S. Kauer, M. Orr, R. Granger. (Middle Row): B. Henry, J. Plowden, E. Baldwin, J. Kent, E. Artz. (Back Row): S. Carr, M. Comas, B. Chandler, B. Elliott, D. Green, E. Easton.

ABBOT CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

"The most potent forces in the world are not physical and material, but spiritual."

Through chapel services, Vesper services, and other community projects, we of the Christian Association try to help in promoting Christian ideals and fellowship throughout the school. By making contributions to innumerable charitable organizations, we also try to spread a Christian spirit far beyond the boundaries of Abbot. We believe that Christianity is the key to life's door and is the true formula for successful and happy living.

A.C.A. Officers, (Standing): M. Comas, B. Elliott, D. Green. (Seated): B. Chandler.



CHOIR

(Standing) Back: E. Morgan, P. Hipple, W. Ward, J. Tatman, B. Henry, M. V. Munroe, P. Oliver, S. Rairdon. (Sitting): A. English, C. Straton, A. Gramkow, L. Gardner. (Standing) Front: J. Warren, D. Holbrook, E. Exerjian, D. Fleming.



FIDELIO



Front: M. V. Munroe, President. First Row: A. Woolverton, P. Carpenter, E. Exerjian, D. Holbrook, G. Turner, B. Chandler, S. Graf, D. Green, M. Minor. Second Row: E. Easton, D. Fleming, P. Hipple, M. Rothwell, E. Oppmann, M. Holbrook, S. Watrous, L. Stephenson, N. Eastham. Third Row: L. Dowlin, Librarian; L. Pelton, N. Eubanks, E. Edmonds, S. Waterous, B. Henry, E. Morgan, J. Skillin, S. Wick-

ham, C. Kelton, J. Tatman, J. Warren, C. Smith, G. Baldwin, M. Emsley, E. Beal, M. Minard, K. Lloyd, S. Davis, Librarian. Back Row: L. Gibbs, E. Rulon-Miller, E. White, W. Ward, S. Best, M. A. Holden, L. Bell, N. Swift, A. Kubler, P. Estes, L. Gardner, N. Smissaert, C. Straton, A. English, A. Kittredge, B. Elliott, D. Duryee, M. deCholnoky, S. Blake, A. Clark, M. Oliver.



FIDELIO ACTIVITIES

Once again musical interests at Abbot were continually displayed during the year through the accomplishments of the Fidelio Society. This organization, composed of members belonging to the Senior and Senior-Mid classes, proved to be successful in developing an appreciation and enthusiasm for all types of choral music. Under the fine instruction of Miss Kate Friskin, many a merry tune was sung in the concert halls of places far and near. Two programs were performed with the glee clubs of Exeter and St. Marks. Although the curtain now falls to mark the closing of the season as Fidelio sings its last note at graduation, wonderful memories linger in the minds of those who have participated in the activities of the group.



CIRCLE



S. Appleton, M. Cooper, L. Gardner, J. Kent, J. Morelli, K. Olson, A. Lawrence, G. Baldwin, S. Best, S. Watrous, M. Clark, M. Comas, D. Green.



Seated: S. Appleton, M. Cooper,
Standing: J. Morelli, M. Comas.

Will we ever look at a sailor again without remembering our Yearbook? We doubt it. It has been a part of every week and hour, and as the deadlines bore down upon us like a great whale (You see it can't be avoided), we headed straight into the wind and left our disagreements in our wake. When discussions rose high, we reefed our sails; with the help of Miss Cassidy we stayed on an even keel. Karen took the tiller with skill and cheerfulness, and the experience of bringing a yearbook into being will always be remembered as a happy one.

S. Best, L. Gardner, D. Green, J. Kent.



S. Watrous, G. Baldwin, K. Olson, A. Lawrence,
M. Clark.





Seated: A. Clark, E. Easton, M. A. Holden, S. Wormley, B. Henry, E. Edmonds. Standing: L. Gibbs, J. Donovan, E. Oppmann, D. Sorota, L. Stephenson, M. Holbrook.

Have you ever noticed an efficient girl rushing about on Wednesdays? That's "Cookie" Holden, Editor-in-chief of *Courant*. *Courant* is our school literary magazine, to which the whole school makes contributions. "Get them in by Monday!" is our watchword, and with gentle pressure from our Editor and wise guidance from our advisor, Miss Edmonds, we do manage to collect enough material for two issues a year. I'm sure the board will always have memories of sitting in the rarefied atmosphere of a small, stuffy room on the fourth floor of Draper with the geometric patterns of pipes and sloping ceilings before our eyes, as we wait to be inspired or discuss the merits of someone else's work of art. Twice a year a small tornado of activity involves the editorial board, from which we emerge ink-stained, happy and proud of the fruit of our labors, an issue of *Courant*.



S. Wormley, M. A. Holden, L. Stephenson, D. Sorota.

E. Edmonds, E. Easton, E. Oppmann, B. Henry.



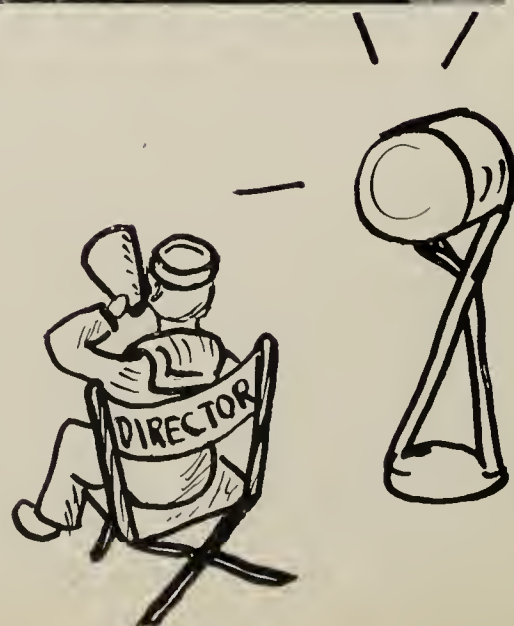
L. Gibbs, M. Holbrook, A. Clark, J. Donovan.



Front Row: N. Eastham, C. Knox, J. Carpenter, M. Holbrook. Middle Row: M. Minard, K. Stirling, P. Carpenter, N. Johnson, C. Straton, B. Elliott, A. Clark. Back Row: A. English, M. Earhart, K. Lloyd, C. Maynard, L. Bell, S. McGuire.

SENIOR DRAMA CLASS

The Senior Drama Class is a new organization which has taken the place of the Abbot Dramatic Society of past years. It is made up of eighteen seniors who have expressed an interest in various phases of dramatics. Our first undertaking was the comedy "The Women Have Their Way," which was successful as well as fun. This year we chose to do "Pygmalion" by George Bernard Shaw. The acting and planning were done by the members of the class, and with the expert advice of Miss Hale it was an enriching experience which put the finishing touches on a fine first year.



WORLD UNIVERSITY SERVICE

"Sign on Stu-G. Board for W. U. S."

This is a familiar sign at Abbot. The school belongs to a world organization entitled the World University Service, which helps to build centers of academic research and furnish them with necessary supplies. The girls at Abbot are able to aid the less fortunate people of the world through this organization.



Front Row: J. McLean, L. Sulzbacher, C. Straton, Head of W. U. S.; F. Fenn, C. Smith. Back Row: L. Gibbs, J. Carpenter, M. Pearce, E. Parker, M. Archer, J. Glidden, M. Colby, P. Holbrook.



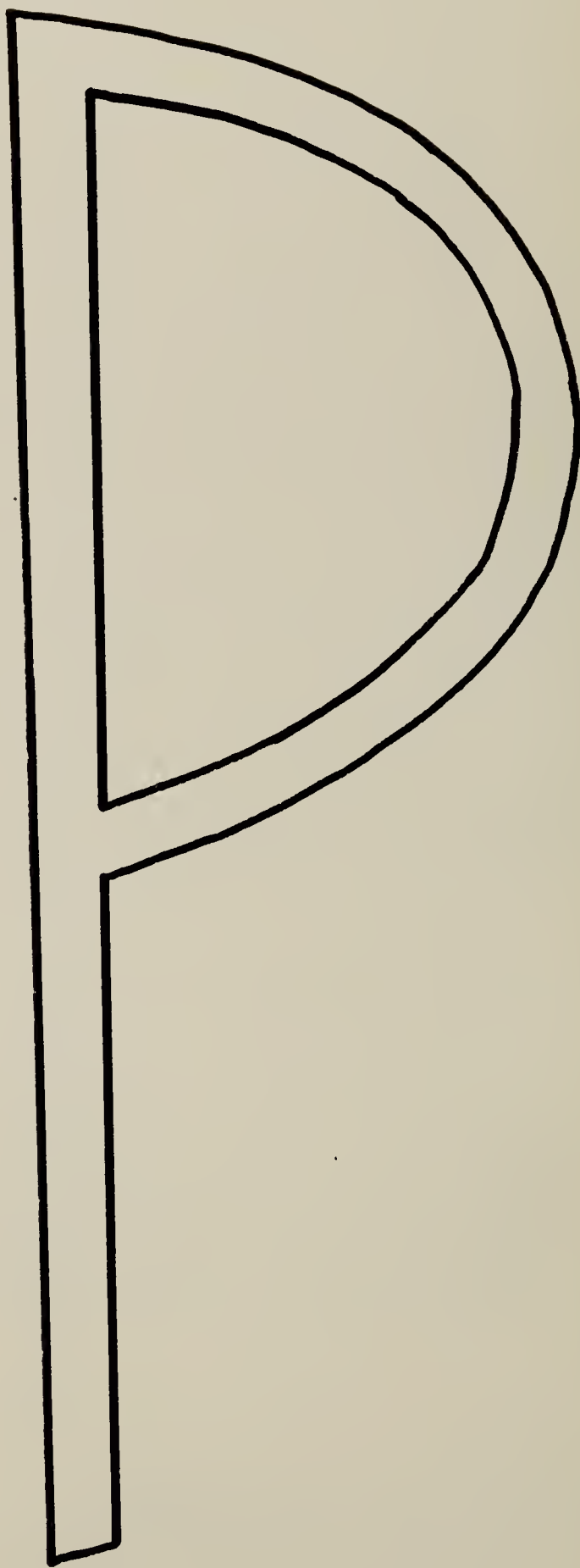
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Front Row: D. Hallowell, P. Sherman, S. Prial, E. Rulon-Miller. Back Row: L. Wooldredge, S. Tidd, S. Watrous, Chairman; P. Carpenter, A. Tripp.

FRIDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

After supper on Friday evenings we have the opportunity to cultivate our hobbies and special interests. They range from dressing dolls for the Hindman Settlement to photography, astronomy, French, German, and discussion of current events in Forum. These common bonds of interest help us to further our friendships with teachers and classmates.









A. A. A. OFFICERS

L. Gardner, Treasurer; M. A. Yudicky, Vice-President; P. Carpenter, President; N. Eastham, Secretary.

The Abbot Athletic Association's main purpose is to arouse or further in each girl interest in good sportsmanship and participation in the many athletics offered here. This year the Council was pleased to welcome Miss Bowers, our new Physical Education instructor, and the new athletes to supplement the seasoned "Gars" and "Grifs", all of whom contributed greatly to the success of our sports program.

ABBOT ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



THE "A" SOCIETY

Front Row: M. A. Faggiano, J. Donovan, P. Carpenter, M. Minard. (Back Row): N. Swift, E. Rulon-Miller, N. Eastham, President; J. Fournier, M. Holbrook.



Miss Judd, Miss Bowers, Miss Ritchie, N. Eastham, L. Gardner, M. A. Yudicky, P. Carpenter.



TEAM CAPTAINS

Griffin, E. Beal; Gargoyle, S. McGuire.

ABBOT ATHLETICS

This year was a wonderful one in the field of athletics and on the athletic fields. From the initiation in the fall, when the new girls became loyal to the orange or green standard, to the awarding of the shield at last chapel, great enthusiasm and sportsmanship were shown. Each girl, either as a player or a rooter, fought persistently to uphold the honored name of her team. Although only one team could win, both were skillfully guided by Sue and Betsy, the Gargoyle and Griffin captains.



GRIFFIN CHEERLEADERS

Seated: P. Carpenter, E. Beal, D. Green. Standing: L. Johnson, C. Gaines, M. A. Spurgeon, K. Earthrowl.



SONG LEADERS

Griffin, L. Gardner; School, M. V. Munroe; Gargoyle, G. Baldwin.



GARGOYLE CHEERLEADERS

M. A. Yudicky, G. Baldwin, M. Burrowes, S. McGuire, M. Lupe, C. Green, B. Parker.



GARGOYLE HOCKEY TEAM

Front Row: L. Sulzbacher, J. Bradley, S. Watrous, W. Ward, M. Minard. Back Row: L. Wooldredge, A. Tripp, M. Roth, A. English, M. deCholnoky, D. Holbrook, M. Ganem.



GARGOYLE BASKETBALL TEAM

S. Henriquez, G. Jordan, E. Welles, S. Prial, P. Moore, M. A. Faggiano. Middle Row: J. Skillein, J. Donovan.

GARGOYLES

Once upon a time there was a place where girls lived, learned, athleticised and became model people. On certain days of the year known as Field Days, due to use of the fields, or Gym Meets, due to the meeting in the gym, the great orange and green forces met in deadly combat. On the green side of the combat area, a creature known as Lister sported his green necktie and ogled a creature known as Sue. The deadly combat wasn't as deadly as most deadly combats are suspected of being, and afterwards green figures could still be seen walking around Andover and faithfully putting stamps into green boxes.

GARGOYLE TENNIS TEAM

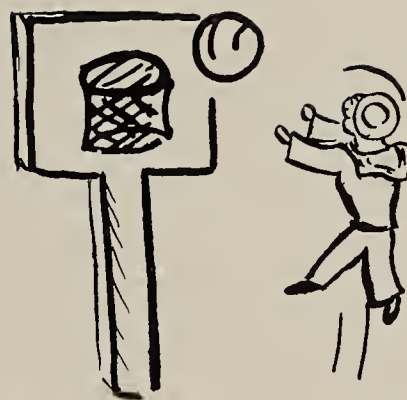
L. Dowlin, A. Clark. Back Row: M. V. Munroe, S. Carr, S. Appleton.





GRIFFIN HOCKEY TEAM

Front Row: M. Rothwell, A. Bowden, E. Edmonds, N. Eastham, P. Carpenter, C. Knox. *Back Row:* L. Day, E. Rulon-Miller, E. Meyer, E. Beal, M. Carter, C. Gaines.



GRIFFINS

Amid thousands of stamps, hundreds of walks, and the unspeakable confusion of the field days and the gym meet, the fate of the great orange team is determined. Whatever the outcome, the fighting has been fierce, the competition keen, and the spirit of the girls overpowering. With Betsy as our captain, Caesar our mascot, and Lyn our song leader, we can expect nothing but the best.



GRIFFIN BASKETBALL TEAM

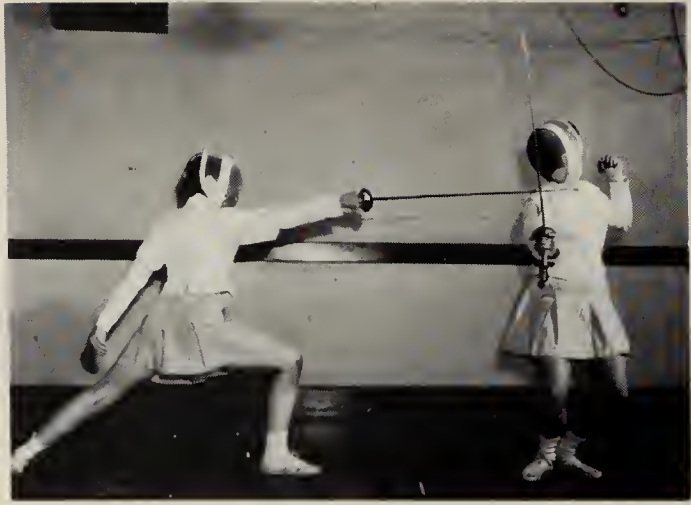
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GRIFFIN TENNIS TEAM

D. Green, J. Fournier, N. Smissaert, A. Kubler, K. Earthrowl.

SPORTS





AT A GLANCE

This sports year has been a thrilling one for all. In the autumn competition on the hockey and basketball courts was vigorous. The girls learned not only to shoot baskets and make goals skillfully, but also to avoid taking spills in the mud.

Then along came the cold weather and we took to body bends in modern dance and the touches in fencing, not to omit the monkey making in the gym classes.

Of course we all looked forward to Spring when we could be outdoors again playing tennis, lacrosse, softball, and also taking track, archery, and riding, which were chosen by those girls who wanted to participate in two sports.

And as all good things must come to an end, so did our sports season, leaving everyone with fond memories of spirited times.





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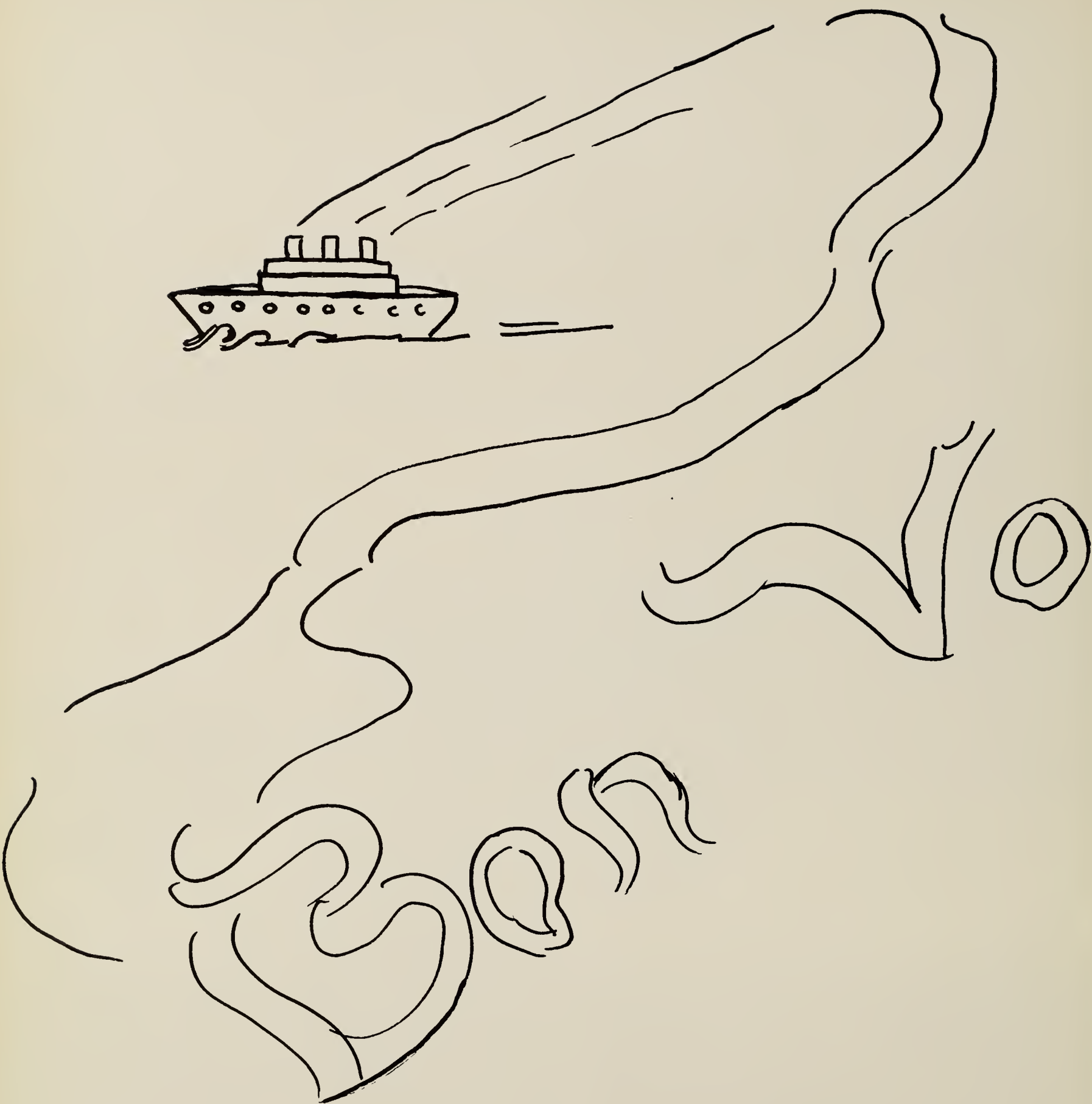
Dining room from Senior Garden



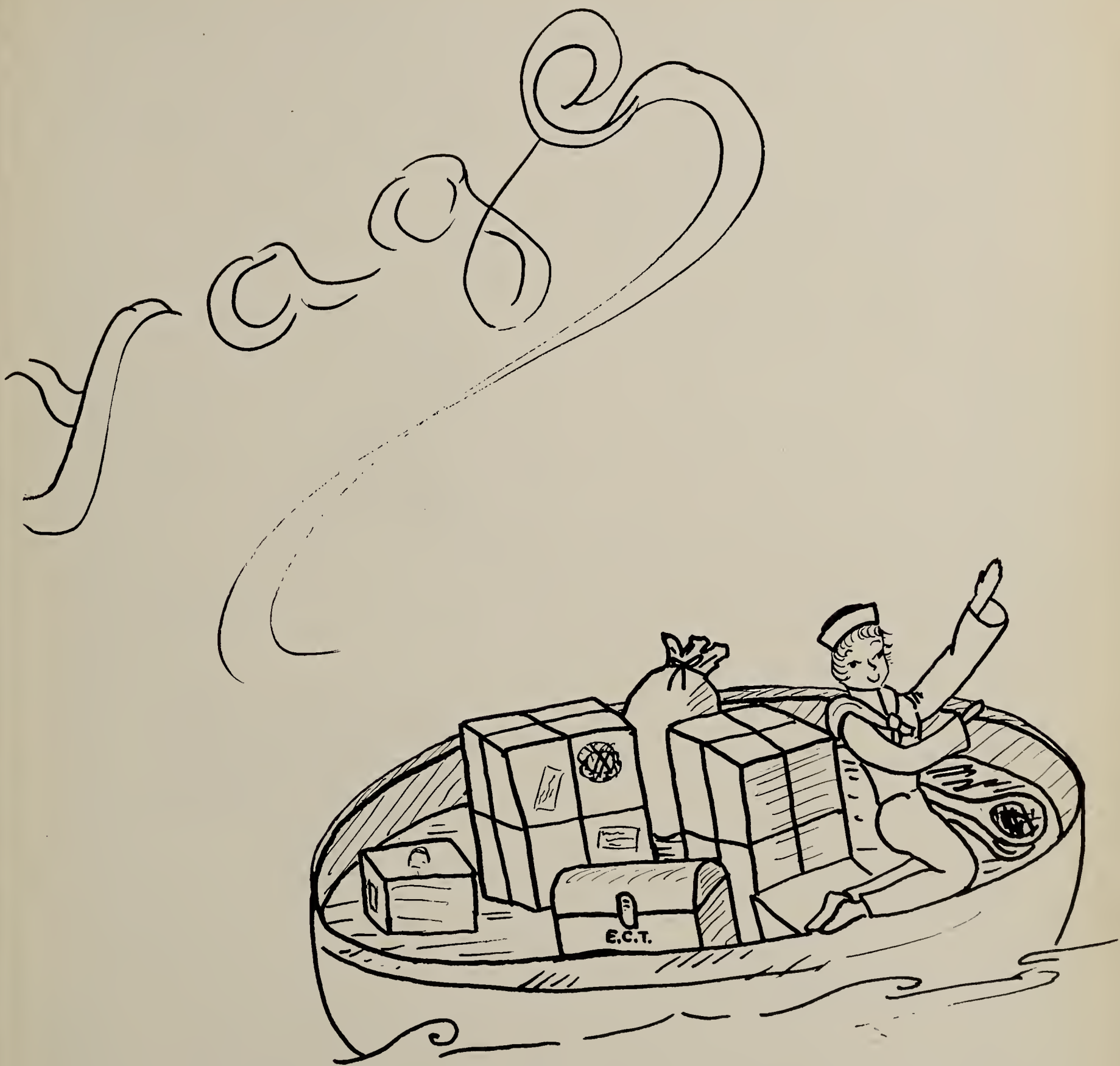
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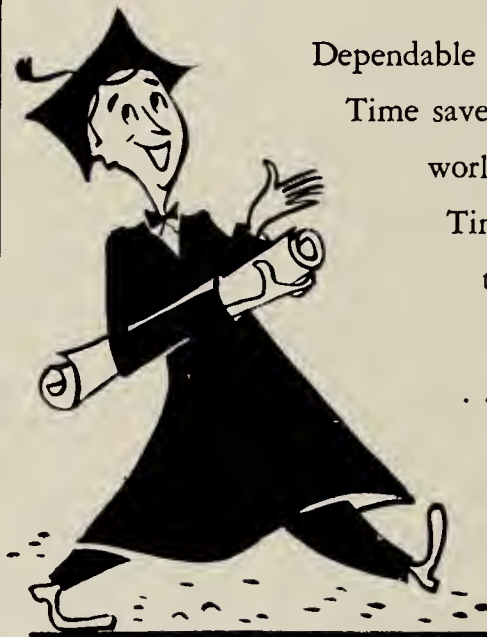
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